## **OSMP Bobolink Trailhead** Last Updated Tuesday, 15 August 2006 **Bobolink Trailhead** LOCATION Just west of the intersection of Baseline and Cherryvale Roads. **PARKING** Parking lot on southwest corner of intersection. **TRAILS** South Boulder Creek Trail (1.5 mile between Baseline & South Boulder Rd.). (2.0 mile between South Boulder Rd & Marshall Rd.). This trail meanders southward along the riparian (stream side) corridor and is highlighted by self-guided interpretive displays. This area affords seasonal viewing of the bobolink, for which the trailhead was named, and other ground nesting birds. At South Boulder Road the trail continues through an underpass then turns westward paralleling the road for approximately 0.2 miles before heading south along the creek once more. The trail meets Marshall Road at its southern end. Please note that dogs are not allowed south of this gate where the trail follows the stream south of South Boulder Road. This trail is sport chair accessible from the trailhead to the East Boulder Community Center turn off and south of South Boulder Road. North of the trailhead you may cross Baseline and via Gaptor Road connect to the Centennial Trail which is a hard surface trail. **ACCESSIBILITY** This area is identified as being popular with people using wheelchairs. See the Trails Accessibility Guide (TAP) (3.44 MB). **RESTROOMS**

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No facilities available.

PICNIC FACILITIES
One picnic table is available. Grills and stoves are prohibited.
BIKE REGULATIONS
Bicycles are not allowed on the first section of South Boulder Creek Trail between Baseline and the East Boulder Community Center trail connection. Bicycles are allowed through this section on the paved Greenways section of trail. Bicycles are allowed on the South Boulder Creek Trail from this intersection south to the dead end of the trail south of South Boulder Road. Bicycles may be ridden only on those trails that are posted with the international bicycle symbol. Other bike trails on Open Space and Mountain Parks.
DOG REGULATIONS
Dogs are not allowed on the South Boulder Creek Trail south of South Boulder Road to Marshall Road.
North of South Boulder Road and on the trail paralleling South Boulder Road, dogs must be on a hand-held leash at all times unless they meet the voice and sight control standard and display a City of Boulder Voice and Sight tag. Dog excrement removal is required by law.
HORSE REGULATIONS
Horses are allowed on most trails. On-trail riding is encouraged to protect rare plants and wildlife habitat. Equestrians are prohibited from the north section of the South Boulder Creek Trail and must use the equestrian only trail to the east of this section.
WILDLIFE
White-tailed and mule deer are common; watch for hybrids. Nesting bobolinks and other ground nesters live in the field

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east of the trail from mid-May through the summer. Please stay on the trail so the birds can display and nest without

disturbance. Red-tailed hawks, foxes and coyotes are sometimes seen.

HISTORIC INFO
Historic Dorn Barn (1900) on Van Vleet property. Abernathy Barn at south end of trail across from creek. Currently and historically grazed and ranched.
Before You Go
Please know OSMP rules and regulations.
Please study our six Leave No Trace" Principles to protect the land.
Dog owners: see our special dog page.
Hikers and climbers: Please be aware of all area closures.
Mountain bikers: follow this link for trails where you can bike.
More Useful Links:
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